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Enclosed herewith for filing is a 10 page application (in German) comprised of specification, 21 claims, and 10 sheets of drawing.

The priority of German patent application No. 197 38 205.3 filed on September 2, 1997, is hereby claimed, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference thereto. A certified copy will be filed in due course.

The filing fee and all other documents, including the English translation, will be filed later.

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